D-7887

D-7888

D-7891

D-7892

7987

"D"

817/37.

Wayside
May 3rd 37.

3.

40.

See below.

See below.

The accused Foo Sye Hsi was arraigned before the S.S.D.Court on the morning of 2-4-37 when the following decision was handed down:-

Remand to 4-5-37 for trial. Accused to put up $500.00 each security or security bond for stay of detention. Before the said security being furnished accused is on the responsibility of his lawyer Mo Loh Ming.

FILE
DBR

At 9 a.m. on 30-4-37 the accused's lawyer Mo Loh Ming was requested to allow the accused to attend Wayside Station during the afternoon of 30-4-37 and when questioned again denied having stolen the unrecovered property although he admits having taken the recovered property to the school at Lane 635/4 E. Seward Road. The accused also denied having any previous convictions, although his finger-print record reveals that he was arrested for "Possession of inflammatory literature" in Louza District in 1930 and handed over to the Shanghai District Court.

BRANCH
4 MAY 1937
CRIMINAL POLICE

Station
dated

By the accused's testimony to the effect that his wife had called a constable who had refused to take any action in the case on the ground that the case was a family affair. Investigation revealed that [illegible] in question is S.P.C. [illegible] [illegible] the complaint was [illegible]

C.P.C. was not informed of the facts of the case.

Zau Lieu Sz( 趙劉氏), the mother of the complainant definitely states that she saw the accused wearing the gold finger ring(Art. 2 of the Stolen Property Return) on the morning of 24-4-37 inside the Doo Tsai School Lane 685/4 E. Seward Road, where she accompanied the complainant to this address.

The amah of Zau Lieu Sz named Kyi Ong Sz(祁容氏) also accompanied her mistress and the complainant to the school and states that she overheard the accused tell his wife that he had pawned the unrecovered property

The seized pamphlets were returned to Wayside Station from S.I.(Headquarters)with the attached letter stating that there is nothing of a communistic or reactionary nature contained therein. The pamphlets were handed over to the complainant on behalf on her husband on the 30-4-37.

The complainant, her mother and the amah have all been warned to be present at the S.S.D.Court on the morning of 4-5-37 when this case will be tried.

[illegible] P.S.I.

Sergeant [illegible] i/c.

D.D.C.'37.

FM. 2
G. 45M-1-36

# SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. 7887
1-5-37

Section 1, Special Branch Station,

**REPORT**

Date April 30, 1937.

Subject 5 pamphlets written by the late Hu Han Min, former Kuomintang leader, seized by Wayside Station whilst enquiring into a larceny case at 3 Tah Er Faung, Kungping Road.

Made by D.S.I. Shih Ssu-chien Forwarded by [illegible]

At 3.30 p.m. April 24, 1937 Special Branch detectives rendered assistance to Wayside Station to examine the contents of five books which were seized by station detectives in premises situated at 3 Tah Er Faung, Kungping Road, in connection with a case of larceny reported in F.I.R. 817/37 (Wayside) of 24 April. The books, bearing the following titles, were carefully examined and were found to contain nothing of a communistic or reactionary nature:-

1. Marshal Li Tsung-jen on the Sino-Japanese Problem. Published by Central Press, Canton, April 1936.
2. Nationalism and Self-Reborn Power (By Hu Han-min). Published by Central Press, Canton March 1936.
3. The Great Asia Doctrine and The Resist-Japan Policy. (By Hu Han-min). Central Press, Canton, Feb. 1936.

The above three books are in Chinese with English translation.

4. Booklet entitled "Obituary of late Mr. Hu Han-min and his speeches".
5. Movement of Racial Reconnaisance (By Hu Han-min).

D.C.(Cs)

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF POLICE
1 MAY
SHANGHAI

D.S.I.

D.C.(Special Branch).

Copy sent to Wayside.
DBR.
30/4.

FILE
DBR
1/5.

FM. 22 G. NO. 1
G. 80M-1-36

# SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

## CRIME DIARY.

"D" Division.
Weyside Police Station.
24th April, 1937.

Crime Register No. 317/37.

| Diary Number 1. | (Sheet No. 1.) | Nature of Offence:— 40. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Time at which investigation begun and concluded each day | See below. | Places visited in course of investigation each day. | See below. |

### RECORD OF INVESTIGATION.

| | |
|---|---|
| Place or description of premises. | 2 [illegible] Dangjing. (dwelling house). |
| Time and date of offence. | 23-4-37. |
| " " " reported. | 24-4-37. |
| Name, occupation and address of complainant. | [illegible] (傅趙氏) wife etc, above address. |
| Number of criminals with full individual description. | One not in custody:- [illegible] (傅秋生), age, [illegible], ht. about 5'6" slim build, two gold incisor teeth in the upper jaw, long thin face, long hair brushed back, wearing grey foreign style clothes, not hat, Cantonese and [illegible] dialect. |
| Arrests. | Nil. |
| Classification of property stolen. | Jewellery & clothing. Value $ 422.00. |
| Classification of property recovered. | — do — Value $ 177.00. |
| In cases of Murder or Suspected Murder points (a) to (d) should be answered.<br>(a) Time and date body was discovered.<br>(b) Position, appearance and marks on body.<br>(c) Apparent cause of death.<br>(d) Motive if known. | |
| Full Details of Method used in Committing offence.<br>In cases of larceny, housebreaking etc., all the points(e) to (i) should be answered, if known. In all cases in which there is fraud, the false pretence and the character assumed by the suspect should be fully described.<br>(e) Mode of entry, including manner of approach to premises.<br>(f) Means used (tools etc.)<br>(g) Character assumed by criminal, and story told, etc.<br>(h) Mode of transport and description.<br>(i) Furniture (unlocking box, punching of fuse etc.) | M.O. The accused stole his wife's property during her absence, and decamped. |

D.I.
D.S. Henchman. J.B. 26/4
DAR 25/4

FM. 22 G. NO. 2
G. 80M-1-36

# CRIME DIARY NO. 1. (SHEET NO. 2)

(j) What staff employed on premises?
(k) Are they all "old" servants?
(l) If not, what was their last employment and for how long?
(m) What was their "characters"?
(n) If any suspicion attached to any of them and if so, which one and for what reason?
(o) Are old servants suspected?
(p) Are friends and visitors above suspicion if not, who is suspected?

**Remarks**

(Any outstanding or peculiar feature to be commented on by investigating officer).

At 1.40 p.m. 24-4-37 the complainant Foo Pau Sz (傅寶子) residing No.3 Tai Sr Faung off Kungping Road reported that between 14-4-37 and 24-4-37 clothing and jewellery total value $42[illegible].00 had been stolen by her husband Foo Sze Tai (傅[illegible]), 28, Canton, M/school-master.

Enquiries by C.D.I. 190 and the undersigned revealed that on the 14-4-37 the complainant had a quarrel with her husband over finances which resulted in the female returning to her mother's home at 568 Tsang Sing Li off Fuirhead Road leaving all her personal belongings in the room which she shared with her husband at No.3 Tai Sr Faung off Kungping Road.

At 10 a.m. 24-4-37 she returned to her room and discovered that at sometime during her absence a quantity of her clothing and jewellery value $42[illegible].00 was missing. She immediately proceeded to the Loo Tsai (呂子) Primary School Lane 685/4 A. Seward Road where her husband is employed as a school-master. On her entering the school at 11 a.m. 24-4-37 she found her husband, who was in possession of the missing property, inside the school.

On her questioning her husband re the property in his possession the ~~accused~~ husband admitted to her that he had stolen the property on the 23-4-37 and that he refused to return home with her.

The female then searched through the property which was contained in several suitcases and found that one gold bracelet, one gold ring set with a small

diamond, one squirrel-fur long gown, and one bed cover total value $245.00. were missing, she then told her husband that she was going to telephone to her lawyer and inform him of the theft. The female then left the premises to make the telephone call and on informing her lawyer of the affair he advised her to have her husband arrested and charged with larceny. The compt. then returned to the school to arrest her husband and she found that he had decamped leaving the stolen property with the exception of the above described property behind On finding that her husband had decamped she reported to Wayside Station.

The undersigned in company with C.D.S. 190 and the complainant attended the Doo Tsai School and recovered suitcases, clothing, shoes etc. to the value of $177.00 from the school where the property had been left.

Enquiries revealed that at the time of the marriage of the complainant and the accused in January 1935 the accused was penniless and all expenses etc. were borne by the female's parents, and since that date they have frequently paid the house-hold expenses of the couple and all the stolen property was given to the female by her mother.

Detectives visited the [illegible]

In the room that had been occupied by the couple five pamphlets of an apparently anti-Japanese nature were found on a small table by the undersigned.

The complainant maintains that these pamphlets are the property of her husband and as the female has been absent from the room for the past ten days this is apparently true.

The Special Branch were informed re the pamphlets and D.S. Tcheremshansky and P.S.I. Shih attended Wayside Station and the pamphlets were handed over to them for investigation.

One copy of each of the following were seized:-

(1) Marshal Li Tsung-jen on The Sino-Japanese Problem
Central Press. Canton April 1936.

(2) Nationalism and Self-Reborn Power (By Hu Han-min).
Central Press, Canton March 1936.

(3) The Great Asia Doctrine and The Resist-Japan Policy.
(By Hu Han-min.
Central Press. Canton.
Feb. 1936.

The above three books are with English translation

(4) Booklet entitled "Obituary of late Mr. Hu [illegible] and his speeches".

(5) Movement of Social Reconnaissance. (By [illegible]).

This case was only entertained at the instigation of the complainant who strongly requested that a charge of larceny be laid against her husband.

As the seized pamphlets appear to be of a "National Salvationist" character rather than of a "Communistic" character the only charge at present against the absconded man is the larceny charge.

The description of the stolen property has been circulated by teleprinter and efforts to locate the absconded man are proceeding.

F. B. Smith
D.S. 21.

Sgt. West. S/c.

D.D.O. "D".

F. 22. E
G. 1. 10M-11-36

# SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

## CRIME DIARY.

"D" Division.
Weyside Police Station.
April 26, 1937.

CRIME REGISTER No:— 817/37.

Diary Number:— 2. Nature of Offence:— 40.

| Time at which investigation begun and concluded each day | See below. | Places visited in course of investigation each day | See below. |
|---|---|---|---|

RECORD OF INVESTIGATION.

At 11.30 a.m. on 26-4-37 Mr. Ma Loh Ming (馬樂明) who is the accused's lawyer came to the station and stated that he would produce the accused Foo Sze Hai (傅士海) at 5 p.m. on 26-4-37.

At 7.45 p.m. on 26-4-37 Mr. Ma in company with the accused came to the station, where the accused surrendered himself to C.D.S. 190 and the undersigned.

The accused denies stealing the unrecovered property although he admits taking the recovered property to the school from their home and he also states that the missing gold bracelet was bought by him for his wife.

The accused's wife states that the bracelet was a present from her mother, Zau Lieu Sz (趙劉氏) who also stated that she had bought the bracelet for her daughter. The mother and daughter both stated that the bracelet bears the maker's name "Jeu Tien Pau". Although the accused stated he bought the bracelet he does not know where it was purchased nor does he know the maker's name.

When questioned by detectives the accused stated that he had proceeded to Soochow at 8 a.m. on the 24-4-37 although his wife and her mother both state that he was present in the Doo Tsai School, Lane 685/4 E. Seward Road at 10.30 a.m. on 24-4-37. The statements of the compt. and her mother as to the time that the accused was in the school were corroborated by various other school masters in the above school.

Bob 28/4.

S.I.
DBR
28/4

F. 22 F
G. 120M-11-36

# SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

## CRIME DIARY.

CRIME REGISTER No:—

.....Division.
.....Police Station.
.....19

Diary Number:— Nature of Offence:—

| Time at which investigation begun and concluded each day | | Places visited in course of investigation each day | |
|---|---|---|---|

### RECORD OF INVESTIGATION.

The accused has been charged with larceny and will be arraigned before the S.S.D.Court on the morning of 27-4-37 when a short remand will be requested in order to enable detectives to make further enquiries and to attempt to locate the stolen property.

J. B. Smith
D. S. 21.

Senior Detective i/c.

D.D.O."D".